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RULE 53(f) NO DECLARATION A0000133 Hon. Commissioner of Patents Atty. Dkt. PM 274072 Client Ref Washington, DC 20231 jc987 U.S. PTO Date: February 8, 2001 Sir: 1. This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application (Design ☑ Utility) entitled: A METHOD OF ANALYZING GENE EXPRESSION DATA USING FUZZY 2. (Complete) Title: without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following: 3. Abstract 1 page(s). Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims); 5. Specification in non-English language 22 Numbered claim(s); and 7- ☑ Drawings: 9 sheet(s) 8.

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✓ A4 **11**" 1 set informal; DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s): Filing Date Application No. Filing Date Application No. February 10, 2000 60/181,477 (2)(1) (3) (4)(5) (6)FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in Filing Date Application No. Filing Date Application No. (1)(2)(3)☐ See 3rd page for additional priorities (5) (No.) Certified copy (copies): attached; previously filed (date) in U.S. Application No. filed on 12. This is a reissue of Patent No. 13. See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box only if info is there and do not complete corresponding item 14 or 15.) Amend the specification by inserting before the first line -- This is a

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